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These comments are filed on behalf of the Trinity Broadcasting Network and its affiliated organizations (collectively "TBN" or "Trinity") in connection with the Commission's July 10, 1997 Notice of Proposed Rule Making (ET Docket No. 97-157, FCC 97-245, 62 Fed. Reg. 41012) ("Recapture Notice").^{1/} TBN is the licensee of over 200 television translator stations throughout the United States and holds construction permits to build over 30 additional translators.^{2/} TBN will be uniquely and detrimentally impacted if the Commission's proposals specified in the Recapture Notice are followed. The Recapture Notice fails to fully recognize the unique and important free over-the-air service provided by the nation's television translator and LPTV services. The proposals to recapture channels 60-69 should, therefore, be abandoned, and these channels should remain available for television translator and LPTV service.

^{1/} The participating licensee organizations in these Supplemental Comments are: Trinity Christian Center of Santa Ana, Inc., d/b/a Trinity Broadcasting Network; Trinity Broadcasting of Florida, Inc.; Trinity Broadcasting of Arizona, Inc.; Trinity Broadcasting of Indiana, Inc.; Trinity Broadcasting of Oklahoma City, Inc.; Trinity Broadcasting of New York, Inc.; Trinity Broadcasting of Texas, Inc.; and Trinity Broadcasting of Washington.

^{2/} See Exhibit A attached.

I. The Program Service Provided by LPTV and Television Translator Stations Fulfill an Important Public Service Not Otherwise Available

1. In the Fourth Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking and Third Notice of Inquiry for DTV, 10 FCC 10541 (1995), the Commission stated that one of its primary goals in implementing DTV was to preserve a free, universal broadcasting service. In the Sixth Further Notice of Proposed Rule Making, 11 FCC Rcd. 10968 (1996) (at ¶ 10), the Commission repeated that the “primary goal of [the DTV] proceeding is to ensure that the implementation of the DTV service is accomplished in a manner that serves the public interest.” Without question providing a universal, free television service, and protecting viewers from the loss of free service, must remain the governing principles guiding the Commission.^{3/} In the area of television translators and low power service, however, this cardinal principal is now being abandoned.

2. All of Trinity’s operating translator facilities provide a diverse and unique program service--inspirational, religious and family oriented programming.^{4/} To allow the loss of even small amounts of free service has long been held contrary to the public interest. New Jersey Public Broadcasting Authority, 74 F.C.C.2d 602, 605 (1979) (and cases cited therein); West Michigan Telecasters, Inc., 460 F.2d 883 (D.C. Cir. 1972); and Carolina Christian, 48 R.R.2d 355 (1980). Given that the recapture of channels 60-69 would create a huge loss of LPTV and translator service throughout the country, there is little question that the greater public interest is served by maintaining the service now permitted on channels 60-69. Moreover, the Commission’s recapture

^{3/} Historically, the Commission and Congress have always recognized the overriding public interest of providing the widest possible broadcast service, and guarding against the loss of service. See, for example, The All Channel Receiver Act, Pub. Law No. 87-529, 76 Stat. 150 (protected viewers from loosing free television service through the deintermixture policy).

^{4/} Attached at Exhibit B are copies of just the last two (2) quarters of TBN’s quarterly program reports for KTBN-TV, channel 40, Santa Ana, California, which provides a satellite feed to TBN’s translators throughout the country. This programming clearly shows an extremely valuable free public service.

of channels 60-69 would be contrary to the mandate of section 307(b) of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, 47 U.S.C. § 307(b), which provides that the central purpose for the Commission's allocation and channel use scheme is to ensure there is a "fair, efficient and equitable distribution of broadcast services" available to the entire viewing public. As explained by the Supreme Court in Turner Broadcasting System, Inc. v. FCC, 114 S.Ct. 2445, 2470 (1994), the "basic tenant of national communications policy [is] that the widest possible dissemination of information from diverse and antagonistic sources is essential to the welfare of the public." While translators and LPTV facilities are regulated as "secondary" facilities, it is nevertheless beyond question that they provide needed, and otherwise unavailable, free service to significant portions of the American population--particularly in rural and smaller underserved communities. Uniquely, the recapture of channels 60-69 will eliminate large numbers of free broadcast services. TBN respectfully submits such losses cannot be reconciled with the public interest. Therefore the recapture of channels 60-69 should be recognized as doing more damage than good, and the current allocation scheme where channels 60-69 remain available for LPTV and translator services should remain.

3. While TBN's translators provide national and syndicated programs, over a decade ago the Commission recognized the importance of such programming offered to local communities. Deregulation of Commercial Television, 56 Rad. Reg. 2d. 1005 (1984). It is now well settled law that while broadcasters are expected to serve local community needs, they "may choose from non-local as well as local sources to meet those needs . . . national and institutional programming may acceptably meet local needs." Seattle Public Schools, 4 FCC Rcd. 625, 634 (Rev. Bd. 1989) (citations omitted). *See also* WHYY, Inc., 93 F.C.C.2d 1086, 1095 (1983) ("national programming provided by PBS . . . can address and meet the needs and interest of Wilmington

as [station's] primary service area"); Community Television of Southern California, 72 F.C.C.2d 349, 353 (1979) ("national programming can and dos serve local programming needs and interest") (citation omitted); Georgia State Board of Education, 70 F.C.C.2d 948, 957 (1979) ("the source of the licensee's programming is not as significant as the responsiveness of that programming to the needs and interests of its service area"). TBN's translators, as shown in Exhibit A, provide programming responsive to virtually every community in America.

4. Consequently, it is irrelevant whether LPTV and translators provide national or syndicated programming. As the Commission has recognized, both types of programming provide an important service to far reaching areas of the country, meeting the public interest in a manner which otherwise would not be met. Therefore, the relative merit of the competing interests for the frequencies at issue here (between public safety and other uses and LPTV and translator uses) is not so large, and maintaining the level of quality, free broadcast service should remain paramount. *See, Sixth Report and Order for ATV*, MM Docket No. 87-268, FCC 97-115 (released April 21, 1997).

WHEREFORE, TBN respectfully requests that the Commission abandon its proposal to recapture Channels 60-69.

Respectfully submitted,

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EXHIBIT A

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TRINITY TRANSLATORS

Trinity Translator Station				Interference To/From DTV Allotment			Distance (miles)
City of License	Call	Ch.	Population	City of License	Call	Ch.	
Aberdeen, S. Dak.	K20DA	20	26,439	Ellendale, N. Dak.	KJRE	20	61
Aberdeen, Wash.	K23AS	23	37,178	Seattle, Wash.	KTZZ-TV	23	84
Abilene, Texas	K51CK	51	109,973	San Angelo, Texas	KIDY	51	88
Albany, Ga.	W23AC	23	77,085	Ozark, Ala.	WDFX-TV	23	90
Alexandria, La.	K19DM	19	139,000	Monroe, La.	KLTM-TV	19	66
Anderson, S. C.	W18BF	18	111,785	Toccoa, Ga.	WNEG-TV	19	41
Atlantic City, N. J.	W36BJ	36	229,892	Wilmington, Del.	WHYY-TV	36	63
Bakersfield, Calif.	K55CN	55	162,300	Bakersfield, Calif.	KGET	54	16
Banning, Calif.	K60BB	54	1,885,865	San Bernardino, Calif.	KAGL	55	50
Bend, Ore.	K33AG	33	19,700	Eugene, Ore.	KEVU	33	90
Biloxi, Miss.	W29BH	29	49,311	Biloxi, Miss.	WLOX-TV	28	26
Binghamton, N. Y.	W14AH	26	150,378	Elmira, N. Y.	WENY-TV	25	49
				Corning, N. Y.	WYDC	26	58
Brunswick, Ga.	W33AL	33	28,127	Jacksonville, Fla.	WJXT	33	62
Burlington, Vt.	W16AL	16	194,401	Burlington, Vt.	WVNY	16	20
Cadillac, Mich.	W19BA	18	26,530	Manistee, Mich.	WCMW	18	48
Carson City, Nev.	K19CU	19	377,460	Reno, Nev.	KAME-TV	20	29
				Reno, Nev.	KRXI	18	30
Champaign, Ill.	W34AY	34	137,703	Urbana, Ill.	WILL-TV	33	23
				Terre Haute, Ind.	WTHI-TV	34	76
Charlotte, N. C.	W68BL	52	390,200	Charlotte, N. C.	WSOC-TV	53	7
				Charlotte, N. C.	WBTV	51	21
Chillicothe, Ohio	W40AE	40	38,941	Zanesville, Ohio	WHIZ-TV	40	67
Coeur D'Alene, Idaho	K53FF	53	158,001	Spokane, Wash.	KSPS-TV	54	26
Cookeville, Tenn.	W46AJ	46	47,599	Nashville, Tenn.	WTVF	46	72
Coos Bay, Ore.	K33AO	33	25,804	Eugene, Ore.	KEVU	33	71
Corbin, Ky.	W33BK	33	52,419	Jellico, Tenn.	WPMC	33	38

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City of License	Call	Ch.	Population	City of License	Call	Ch.	
Lancaster, Calif.	K54DN	54	275,647	Los Angeles, Calif.	KABC-TV	53	33
				San Bernardino, Calif.	KAGL	55	43
				Bakersfield, Calif.	KGET	54	61
Lawton, Okla.	K27AZ	27	80,054	Oklahoma City, Okla.	KETA	27	83
Lincoln, Nebr.	K39AJ	39	191,972	Lincoln, Nebr.	KUON-TV	40	26
Loveland, Colo.	K48CG	48	173,458	Denver, Colo.	KCEC	49	47
Lumberton, N. C.	W52BM	52	91,419	Fayetteville, N. C.	WKFT	52	61
Lynchburg, Va.	W32BA	32	240,090	Charlottesville, Va.	WHTJ	32	53
McComb, Miss.	W36AC	36	64,347	Jackson, Miss.	WJTV	36	69
Machias, Me.	W21BH	21	1,773	Orono, Me.	WMEB-TV	21	54
Madison, Wisc.	W33AX	33	228,208	Janesville, Wisc.	WJNW	32	25
				Milwaukee, Wisc.	WMVS	33	75
Madison, S. Dak.	K27DB	27	13,131	Brookings, S. Dak.	KESD-TV	26	23
Mariposa, Calif.	K28EM	28	195,963	Fresno, Calif.	KVPT	28	64
Meadville, Pa.	W52BO	52	76,776	Erie, Pa.	WJET-TV	52	28
Medway, Me.	W14BO	14	1,584	Presque Isle, Me.	WMEM-TV	14	74
Mermentau, La.	K45DI	45	60,470	Baton Rouge, La.	WGMB	45	78
Modesto, Calif.	Prop'd	49	306,710	San Jose, Calif.	KSTS	49	49
Monroe, La.	K27EF	27	176,525	El Dorado, Ark.	KTVE	28	40
				Alexandria, La.	KLPA-TV	27	69
Monterey, Calif.	K53DT	53	302,927	Watsonville, Calif.	KCAH	52	25
Morristown, Tenn.	W31AS	31	62,081	Knoxville, Tenn.	WKXT-TV	30	39
				Knoxville, Tenn.	WBIR-TV	31	39
Naples, Fla.	W54CC	54	117,908	Fort Myers, Fla.	WINK-TV	53	46
				Fort Myers, Fla.	WBBH-TV	55	47
Oshkosh, Wisc.	W34BV	34	186,032	Milwaukee, Wisc.	WVTV	34	72
Parkersburg, W. Va.	W39AZ	39	72,567	Zanesville, Ohio	WHIZ-TV	40	51
				Weston, W. Va.	WDTV	39	62
Pascagoula, Miss.	W46AV	46	60,170	Mobile, Ala.	WKRG-TV	47	49
				New Orleans, La.	WDSU	46	39
Port Charlotte, Fla.	W52CN	52	61,851	Fort Myers, Fla.	WINK-TV	53	24

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Cresaptown, Md.	W16AE	43	67,071	Pittsburgh, Pa.	WPCH-TV	43	88
Danforth, Me.	W17BJ	17	1,600	Calais, Me.	WMED-TV	16	51
Decatur, Ill.	W29BG	29	133,501	Olney, Ill.	WUSI-TV	29	82
Denver, Colo.	K33DN	33	1,505,745	Denver, Colo.	KCNC-TV	34	13
Detroit, Mich.	W66BV	66	3,066,303	Toledo, Ohio	WTOL-TV	66	48
Dothan, Ala.	W41BN	41	101,194	Louisville, Ala.	WGIQ	42	34
				Tallahassee, Fla.	WTWC-TV	41	82
Egin, Ill.	W29BN	29	1,622,742	Chicago, Ill.	WMAQ-TV	29	35
Elmira, N. Y.	W44BG	59	120,708	Rochester, N. Y.	WOKR	59	82
Evansville, Ind.	W38BK	38	244,640	Evansville, Ind.	WEHT	39	7
Fargo, N. Dak.	K56ET	56	134,363	Fargo, N. Dak.	KVLY-TV	56	40
Farmington, Me.	W21BI	21	4,197	Orono, Me.	WMEB-TV	21	78
Fayetteville, Ark.	K42BS	42	45,400	Tulsa, Okla.	KTFO	42	84
Fayetteville, N. C.	W53BE	53	285,707	Fayetteville, N. C.	CKFT	52	32
Fort Smith, Ark.	K27DI	27	76,600	Fayetteville, Ark.	KHOG-TV	28	47
Goldsboro, N. C.	W59BA	59	39,145	Greenville, N. C.	WNCT-TV	58	34
				Durham, N. C.	WTVD	59	36
Greenville, N. C.	W54BR	54	35,740	Washington, N. C.	WITN-TV	53	17
				Wilson, N. C.	WRAY-TV	55	46
Grenada, Miss.	W25BA	25	29,024	Oxford, Miss.	WMAV-TV	25	36
				Greenwood, Miss.	WMAO-TV	24	50
Haverhill, Mass.	W63BR	34	1,376,429	Boston, Mass.	WCVB-TV	34	33
				Marlboro, Mass.	WHSB-TV	33	36
Ithaca, N. Y.	W44BG	44	120,708	Syracuse, N. Y.	WNYS-TV	44	46
Jamestown, N. Y.	W52BT	52	97,497	Erie, Pa.	WJET-TV	52	43
Janesville, Wisc.	W19BH	19	115,601	Madison, Wisc.	WHA-TV	20	35
				Madison, Wisc.	WMTV	19	35
				Chicago, Ill.	WGN-TV	19	90
Lafayette, Ind.	W36AR	36	139,538	Champaign, Ill.	WCIA	36	85
Lake City, Fla.	W23AQ	23	61,201	Jacksonville, Fla.	WJCT	23	64

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Porterville, Calif.	K15CO	15	247,184	Fresno, Calif.	KJEO	15	51
Portsmouth, Ohio	W21AI	21	37,715	Morehead, Ky.	WAOM	21	37
Rapid City, S. Dak.	K33CO	33	88,712	Rapid City, S. Dak.	KOTA-TV	33	2
Ripon, Wisc.	W42AF	42	7,111	Milwaukee, Wisc.	WITI-TV	42	70
Roanoke, Va.	W49AP	49	72,000	Lynchburg, Va.	WSET-TV	49	17
Rocky Mount, N. C.	W53BF	53	152,275	Washington, N. C.	WITN-TV	53	46
Roseburg, Ore.	K14HA	14	35,261	Medford, Ore.	KSYS	15	36
Sacramento, Calif.	K69FB	69	1,016,188	Stockton, Calif.	KOVR	69	24
St. Charles, Mo.	K34BR	34	83,838	St. Louis, Mo.	KMOV	34	21
				St. Louis, Mo.	KPLR-TV	35	21
St. Louis, Mo.	K18BT	18	2,010,645	Mount Vernon, Ill.	WCEE	18	72
St. Petersburg, Fla.	W60BK	60	1,259,317	Clearwater, Fla.	WCLF	59	28
Salina, Kans.	K15CN	15	41,843	Salina, Kans.	KAAS-TV	15	22
Spokane, Wash.	K55EB	55	171,300	Spokane, Wash.	KSKN	55	7
				Spokane, Wash.	KSPS-TV	54	8
				Coeur D'Alene, Idaho	KCDT	56	33
Springfield, Mass.	W67DF	67	936,454	Worcester, Mass.	WUNI	67	48
Springfield, Mo.	K52DH	52	147,815	Rogers, Ark.	KFAA	52	83
State College, Pa.	W42BJ	42	331,949	Altoona, Pa.	WTAJ-TV	41	34
				York, Pa.	WPMT	42	85
Statesville, N. C.	W66BT	66	66,779	Winston-Salem, N. C.	WUNL-TV	66	50
Tahlequah, Okla.	K45ER	45	34,954	Fort Smith, Ark.	KFSM-TV	46	44
				Okmulgee, Okla.	KGLB-TV	45	64
Topeka, Kans.	K21AP	21	122,200	Topeka, Kans.	WIBW-TV	22	21
				Kansas City, Mo.	KYFC	21	62
Utica, N. Y.	W41AE	41	75,632	Syracuse, N. Y.	WIXT	41	42
Ventura, Calif.	K45DU	45	472,510	Rancho Palos Verdes, Cal.	KRPA	45	84
Victorville, Calif.	K33BT	33	250,000	Los Angeles, Calif.	KTLA-TV	33	49
				Los Angeles, Calif.	KNBC	32	49
Waukegan, Ill.	W22AJ	22	441,623	Chicago, Ill.	WCFC	21	22
				Milwaukee, Wisc.	WVCY-TV	22	69

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Wenatchee, Wash.	K34EM	34	67,525	Yakima, Wash	KAPP	34	62
Wilmington, N. C.	W20AL	20	54,950	Florence, S. C.	WWMB	20	81
Yankton, S. Dak.	K31DP	31	28,282	Sioux City, Iowa	KCAU-TV	31	62
Youngstown, Ohio	W39AI	39	364,694	Cleveland, Ohio	WEWS	39	59
Youngstown, Ohio	W39AI	52	511,169	Erie, Pa.	WJET-TV	52	25
Zanesville, Ohio	W36AY	36	83,952	Cambridge, Ohio	WOUC-TV	35	40
				Columbus, Ohio	WOSU-TV	36	51
TOTAL			26,005,282				

EXHIBIT B

TRINITY BROADCASTING NETWORK

QUARTERLY REPORT

JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, 1997

KTBN - CHANNEL 40 - SANTA ANA, CA

ASCERTAINMENT LIST

LEADING COMMUNITY PROBLEMS

FOR

JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, 1997

RESULTS OF ASCERTAINMENTS FROM CIVIC LEADERS, RESPONSES BY TELEPHONE FROM TBN VIEWERS, FROM THE PRINTED MEDIA, COMPRISING NEWSPAPERS, MAGAZINES, PUBLICATIONS, AND FROM TELEVISION AND RADIO, WHENEVER POSSIBLE.

FAMILY

CRIME

DRUGS/ALCOHOL

EDUCATION

HOMELESS

OTHER ISSUES OF INTEREST

THE FOLLOWING PAGES LIST SUMMARIES OF SOME OF TBN PROGRAMMING ADDRESSING THE ISSUES/PROBLEMS NAMED ON THE ASCERTAINMENT LIST, AS WELL AS OTHER ISSUES DETERMINED TO BE IMPORTANT, FOLLOWING FCC REQUIREMENTS FOR THE QUARTERLY REPORT TO BE KEPT IN THE PUBLIC FILE FOR THE FIRST QUARTER: JANUARY, FEBRUARY, MARCH, 1997.

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<u>ISSUE/PROBLEM</u>	<u>PROGRAM TITLE</u>	<u>PROGRAM DURATION</u>	<u>TOPIC SEGMENT DURATION</u>	<u>SOURCE</u>	<u>TYPE</u>	<u>AIR-DATE</u>	<u>TIME</u>
FAMILY/SINGLES	OUR TOWN #365	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	01-2-97	5:00A

Eva Bernal introduced her guests, Aldo Schindler and Beatriz Gonzalez, from the **SANTA ANA WORK CENTER**. The Center is a multi-agency, multi-service facility and is the first of its kind in Southern California. The Center is a "one-stop" career center to assist people who have lost their jobs or are looking to change careers. The Santa Ana Center is open to the general public, both adults and youth, who are seeking a career focus, education, training and employment. Beatriz stated that the Center offers practical help with upgrading skills and individual counsel on labor market information. They also provide services to companies interested in hiring and retraining employees. Career counseling is provided which includes aptitude tests and interview techniques. Job search workshops are given and the Center even loans people interview clothes if needed. Aldo said the Center extends its services to the senior community by providing vocational training and job placement.

OUR TOWN #369	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	01-20-97	8:30A
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Habitat for Humanity, a nonprofit corporation dedicated to removing poverty housing from our communities, was the focus for the program. Eva Bernal introduced her guests, Barbara D'Amore, Executive Director, and Joe Perring, Home Builder/Developer and Board Member. Barbara stated that the Orange County affiliate of Habitat was founded in 1988 and has completed 60 homes. Habitat builds houses for people who have difficulty acquiring long-term shelter because of low income. Habitat uses donated materials and volunteer labor. Then they sell the home to a very low income family with a 20-year, no-interest, no-profit mortgage. The family chosen to purchase a Habitat home must contribute 600 hours of

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<p>labor, called "Sweat Equity", into the program. Joe said the family learns many skills while helping with the building that will assist them with the up-keep of their home. Money from the mortgage payments are recycled to build more houses. Joe stated that people in the neighborhood tend to be very supportive when they see Habitat working on a house. Many want to enter in and help with the project. Move-in day is a great celebration for volunteers and professional subcontractors who have donated their services.</p>							
	OUR TOWN #372	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	01-30-97	5:00A
<p>Eva Bernal welcomed her guests from TASK, Joan Tellefsen, Executive Director; and Rita Rubin, President of the Board. TASK (Team Of Advocates For Special Kids) has as its mission to provide support and assistance for parents of children with disabilities. The service is for those with disabilities of all kinds that interfere with a child's ability to benefit from their education. Parents who have difficulty getting appropriate placement and/or appropriate programs for their children are given help. Rita shared that her daughter is disabled and that motivated her to get involved with TASK. TASK requires that peer counselors have a disabled child of their own, which gives them empathy and understanding when dealing with frustrated and grieving parents.</p>							
	OUR TOWN #373	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	02-13-97	5:00A
<p>Today's program highlights the Early Start Program, a statewide program for infants and toddlers with disabilities and their families. Bruce Bernal interviews Margaret Agress, Dillon Henry and Martha Gallegos, administrators with Early Start. The mission of ES is to help families whose infants or toddlers have, or are "at risk" for, disabilities or</p>							

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developmental delays. Dillon Henry, the educational consultant, explains that the agency helps families to recognize problem areas in their children's development. ES works with the families that have children with special needs, giving them encouragement, information and strategies to access services needed. Martha Gallegos works with Comfort Connection , a branch of ES, that connects families with special needs to resources and information. Margaret Agress, agency coordinator, says the goal of ES is to give children a healthy beginning and to assist parents in recognizing areas of concern.							
	OUR TOWN #374	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	02-17-97	8:30A
<p>The Hotline Help Center is the focus of today's program. Bruce Bernal interviews Pat Pina, Executive Director and Lois Widly, a Board member. Pat gives some background information on the Center. It was founded in 1968 and before that was the Melodyland Church Hotline. It is staffed by highly trained and caring volunteers, seven days a week, 365 days a year. The 24 hour a day telephone counseling encounters problems such as substance abuse, suicide threats, marriage, family and child problems, food and/or housing problems and more. Lois talks about the training that volunteers are given. An eight page application is required. Applicants must have a heart to listen to problems. The training includes in-services, a training manual, videos and tapes. Teen counselors are also trained to counsel with their peers.</p>							

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	OUR TOWN #377	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	02-27-97	5:00A
<p>Eva Bernal talks with Melissa O'Neal, Director of TAFFY, (Tustin Acts For Families & Youth). TAFFY began five years ago when a number of local nonprofit agencies, government groups and local residents banded together to conduct research for the purpose of finding out the needs of people in the city of Tustin. A door-to-door search was conducted asking people what their concerns and needs were. As a result, TAFFY has been given grant money to provide a variety of activities and services to the people of Tustin. TAFFY provides parent education, mediation services, individual and family counseling, support groups and in times of great need, assistance with utility payments and food distribution. TAFFY's first project was a food distribution program that continues to feed the needy. Every program TAFFY offers is bilingual.</p>							
	OUR TOWN #384	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	03-13-97	5:00A
<p>Bruce Bernal welcomed his guests from Community Behavioral Services Institute, (CBSI), which is a support employment service for adults with developmental disabilities. Brent Whetstone is the CBSI representative and Tamara Robertson is one of CBSI's clients. Brent explained that there are millions of people challenged by disabilities who are not employed but want to be. CBSI develops jobs based on applicants' qualifications, abilities and location. They consult with employers to help the person learn his/her job and to fit into the work environment. Tamara told about her job at Bali Fitness Center. She cares for the children of parents that are exercising. She loves the job and her employer is happy with the work she is doing. Brent said that when the developmentally disabled are properly placed in jobs, they are dependable, pleasant and hard working. CBSI supports their clients with</p>							

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	individual training.						
	OUR TOWN #382	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	03-17-97	8:30A
	<p>Today's program focuses on two ministries that celebrate life. Bruce Bernal introduces his guests; Simon Casar, President of Tenderheart Ministries, Gary Ray, Director of Heartbeat Ministries, and Lisa Burroughs, Counselor with Heartbeat. Simon explains that Tenderheart has established a once-a-year, massive baby celebration called "BABY DAY". This is a gathering of single parents, families and grandparents for a fun day of games, events, and celebration of God's gift of Life. The idea has spread nationally and Simon has written a guide book to help groups with their planning. Heartbeat offers a 24-hour pregnancy counseling hotline, free pregnancy testing, referrals for medical, financial and legal assistance, free maternity clothing, and baby layettes.</p>						
	OUR TOWN #388	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	03-20-97	5:00A
	<p>Eva Bernal's guest for today's program is Dr. Richard Leek, Clinical Nutritionist. He is well known for his common sense approach to "balanced nutrition". The Leek Corporation emphasizes individualized nutritional health care believing that nutrition is an essential part of optimum health. Dr. Leek encourages parents to get the message of nutrition to their children by setting an example for them. Dr. Leek discusses the food groups; fruits and vegetables, breads and grains, dairy products and milk, meat and fat. He says people should shop for their groceries in the outer parts of the store where the real food is</p>						

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found. He cautions shoppers to stay away from artificial food and cut down on meats and fat in their diets. Dr. Leek's patients are given vitamin combinations to supplement their diets.							
	JOSH MCDOWELL #227	28:45	28:45	NET	PA/O	01-04-97	3:00P
Co-hosts, Josh McDowell and Steve Arterburn, discuss parenting with Judy Ross, Linda Betcher and Barbara Bessie. The three women are parents of children ranging in age from 10 to 29 years old. Josh first establishes <u>that rules without relationship leads to rebellion</u> . The group goes on to sum up the primary goal for parenting which is to prepare their children for independence. The training of a child is a process that evolves as the child grows in maturity. More responsibility and freedom is given as the child becomes more adept at making decisions and demonstrating responsibility. Children must be ready for life when they leave high school because the pressures outside of high school are immense. Accoringly, children need training and experience for life's wide range of challenges that they will face. As young adults, they need to be able to deal with economical, political, social and spiritual issues.							
	JOSH MCDOWELL #229	28:45	28:45	NET	PA/O	01-18-97	3:00P
No one over plans to be a single parent, but when it happens there are some special resources to help single parents and their family. That is the subject of this program with co-host Josh McDowell and Steve Arterburn, along with their guests, single parents, Ron Lewis, Darla Whitney and Vickie Johns. Often the single parent raising children finds him or herself playing the role of the "Lone Ranger" - trying to do							

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	<p>everything on his or her own. Typically the single parent must juggle many roles becoming provider, caretaker and both mother and father for the children. Even in the case of divorce, usually the custodial parent must work outside the home to support the household. Yet, there is relief available for the special needs of single parents. Networking helps off-set the deficit that the single-parent household faces. Churches often have support groups for the single parent that provide guidance, emotional support, mentors and even service needs (i.e. plumbing and electrical repairs). Another invaluable resource is the extended family. Uncles, aunts and grandparents can give the single parent the extra support that can mean so much.</p>						
CRIME	OUR TOWN #371	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	01-23-97	5:00A
	<p>Eva Bernal interviewed Monique Nelson from "Enough is Enough", a nonpartisan, nonprofit organization dealing with pornography. EIE is a national program that was started four years ago by thirty women who came together in Washington, D.C. They desired to do something about the problem of pornography. EIE is against censorship. The materials they go after are <u>illegal</u>. The Supreme Court has already declared it as such. The production and circulation of illegal porn material goes on primarily because there isn't substantial enforcement. Parents need to be aware of the availability of pornography and make a stand against it. Monique gives guidance and help to people on the process of combating illegal materials. She said the average age of kids exposed to pornography is eight years old. Children are able to access pornography on the internet. Parents need to talk with their children about pornography. EIE offers material and information that can help parents with this process.</p>						

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	OUR TOWN #368	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	01-27-97	8:30A
<p>Bruce Bernal introduced his guests from the Orange County Jail Ministry; Kay James, Administrator of Chaplains, and team leaders, Bea Alvarado, Chaplain for 18 years and Dave Newton, Director of fundraising. Kay gave some background information on OCJM. OCJM was incorporated in 1930 as a nonprofit corporation. Currently there are 500 volunteers and 50 churches supporting the ministry. Worship services are held daily. Bible studies are offered on Wednesdays and Fridays. One-on-one counseling is available. Bible correspondence courses are given. OCJM is a resource agent for many rehabilitation and after-care programs that help inmates once they are released. The Orange County jail system deals with 100,000 inmates in a years time. Families of the inmates receive ministry from the chaplains also. The chaplains make sure that inmates who want a Bible, get one. Last year 6,500 Bibles were given to inmates. OCJM is in need of more volunteers and the participation of more local churches.</p>							
	OUR TOWN #375	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	02-20-97	5:00A
<p>Bruce Bernal introduced his guests, Mike Howard and Lamisha Rochelle of Operation Clean Slate. OCS is a hands-on graffiti prevention program for young people. It is a nonprofit organization that assists children with</p>							

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<p>positive alternatives to graffiti. Mike stated that graffiti is against the law. It causes damage and destruction to property. Last year Orange County spent \$23 million on graffiti removal. Mike said some of the reasons kids do graffiti is to get recognition, escape boredom, challenge rivals, and mark territory. Operation Clean Slate organizes mural painting as an alternative to graffiti. Kids join together to design and paint a mural. After the mural is completed, a recognition ceremony is held. All the kids who completed the project get a t-shirt with a picture of the mural painted on the shirt. The murals receive a protective coating to preserve the artwork and remain graffiti-free for everyone to enjoy.</p>							
	OUR TOWN #378	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	03-03-97	8:30A
<p>Eva Bernal interviewed three guests from the Orange County Probation Department; Randy Niznik, probation officer, Rick Johnson, Chaplain, and Robert Plcencio, a young man who will be off probation in one month. Rick explained the the OCPD has served the people and courts of Orange County for 80 years. Orange County Deputy Probation Officers supervise 19,000 adults and juveniles at any given time. Randy stated the mission of OCPD is, "To protect the community by enforcing court orders, conducting investigations for the courts and resocializing criminal offenders". Randy heads up the Volunteer Probation Officer program. This program allows citizens to be involved in challenging and satisfying work where there is a great need. Robert said the supervision he received from his probation officer has turned his life around. The OCPD helped him get on the right track.</p>							

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	OUR TOWN #385	30:00	30:00	L	PA/P	03-27-97	5:00A
	<p>Bruce Bernal welcomes his guest, Captain Dan McCoy from the Santa Ana Police Department. Captain McCoy works with a program called S.T.O.P. (Street Terrorist Offender Project). This is a multi-jurisdictional gang suppression program consisting of the Santa Ana Police Department's Gang Unit, members of the Orange County Probation Department, the Orange County District Attorney's Office, the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms, and educational personnel from the Santa Ana Unified School District. The program identifies, arrests and prosecutes hardcore gang members. Capt. McCoy says there are 12,000 gang members in Santa Ana; 2,500 gang members are active in violence. He says that reputations are earned by a gang member according to the degree of violent behavior they demonstrate. S.T.O.P. began in 1994 and since then, there has been a 30% decrease in violent crimes.</p>						
DRUGS/ALCOHOL	OUR TOWN #367	30:00	30:00	L	PA/O	01-13-97	8:30A
	<p>The D.A.R.E. Program was the topic of discussion on "Our Town" and Eva Bernal introduced her guests, Mike Kelly with the Huntington Police Department and Ron Russell with the Pride Foundation. Officer Kelly gave the history of D.A.R.E. (Drug Abuse Resistance Education). In 1983, D.A.R.E. classes started in Los Angeles and quickly spread to other cities. The core program is a 17 week session designed for teaching elementary school students the causes of criminal behavior and the things that put the students at risk. Some of those things are peer pressure, poor social skills and lack of a strong support system in their lives. Ron Russell stated that the purpose of PRIDE (a part of the D.A.R.E.</p>						

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